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WHAT'S NEW ON THE ADAPORTAL?

The ADA Document Portal provides a one-stop source of materials on the ADA. The portal also provides access to a wide range of additional documents related to other disability laws and federal organizations with disability interests. Check it out at www.ADAportal.org.

The following documents were recently added to the search capability of the ADA Portal:

<http://www.eeoc.gov/stats/nofear/hearings.html>
<http://www.usdoj.gov/crt/ada/newsltr0805.htm>
<http://www.jan.wvu.edu/media/BurnInj.html>

Project Civic Access settlement agreements: <http://www.usdoj.gov/crt/ada/civicac.htm>.

ROCKY MOUNTAIN HAPPENINGS

HAVE IT YOUR WAY...The Rocky Mountain ADA & IT Center will provide customized training on Information Technology (IT) in your office, our office, or wherever you request it! For more, call the Rocky Mountain ADA & IT Center at 800-949-4232 (V, TTY); email us at training@mtc; visit our website at www.adainformation.org.

ALL ABOARD...The Federal Transit Administration has ruled that Colorado Springs must ensure routes from Fountain to Denver can accommodate people with disabilities. Read the Gazette <http://www.gazette.com/display.php?id=1310133&secid=1>.

THE WYOMING BRAIN INJURY CONFERENCE 2005...is sponsored by the Brain Injury Association of RENEW Enterprises. The conference is organized to address different areas of concern for lawmakers, employers, professionals, direct care staff, family members, brain injury survivors, and the general public in developing systems of support that can enable individuals with brain injury members "to take their lives back." The conference is scheduled for October 14, 15, and 16. Find out more about the conference at <http://www.biausa.org/Wyoming/calendar.htm>.

A NEW ERA FOR COMMUNICATION...The British Deaf Association (BDA) unveiled the first video center in the United Kingdom. To launch this service, BDA entered into a partnership with deaf-run telecommunications and human services organization in Sioux Falls, S.D.

<http://www.c-s-d.org/Default.aspx>.

EXPERIENCE THE JOY OF SIGN LANGUAGE! Learn the alphabet, numbers, basic signing techniques hints, vocabulary, basic conversation, songs and games. This hands-on, dynamic presentation of six basic 90-minute workshops for just \$75, including a specially designed book complete with pictures from each session. Beauty of Sign Language, Inc. is excited to be presenting with the Rocky Mountain ADA & IT Center, located at 3630 Sinton Road, Suite 103, Colorado Springs. There will be two six-week workshops beginning September 14, 2005: Wednesday afternoon from 1:30 to 3:30 p.m. and Wednesday evenings from 6:00 - 7:30 p.m. To register, call Sandy at (719) 210-6968 or beautyofsign@aol.com by Friday September 9, 2005.

STRONG MEDICINE...A Utah County man has filed a civil rights lawsuit against a Provo surgeon and two physicians after he was refused surgery because he is HIV-positive.
<http://deseretnews.com/dn/view/0,1249,600160132,00.html>.

ARE YOU OVERWHELMED...by your ADA responsibilities? Unsure what those responsibilities even are? Get an overview of the employment provisions of the ADA, join the Disability Program Navigator, C Workforce Center on October 27th, 7:00am to 9:00am at the PCC Campus, 51320 Hwy 50, Meet in Cañon City.

Learn:

- Available tax benefits to help save money and offset costs of ADA compliance.
- Common myths about the ADA and the employment of people with disabilities.
- Ten reasons why businesses can benefit from the ADA.
- Practical tips for cost-effective ADA implementation.

Guest Speaker is Jana L. Copeland, Training Coordinator and Employment Information Specialist at Rocky Mountain ADA & IT Center. CALL (719) 275-7408 TO RESERVE YOUR SEAT TODAY!

IN THE NEWS

"DOCTORS MAY CALL ME A PARAPLEGIC, strangers might say I am 'wheelchair bound'. But to me, I have always been a daddy who comes with his own playground apparatus. In their short lives, the fears and anxieties of adults, they have known a wheelchair only to represent a warm, John Hockenberry, an award-winning television commentator, radio host and foreign correspondent, became a paraplegic in an auto accident when he was 19. Read this PARADE magazine article by Mr. Hockenberry: http://archive.parade.com/2005/0724/0724_disabilities.html.

LEGAL BRIEFS

CLEARING THE WAY...A federal appeals court has ruled that two universities can be sued under laws protecting people with disabilities because they had waived their state immunity by accepting federal funds. The decision by the U.S. Court of Appeals for the Fifth Circuit cleared the way for a former employee to sue Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center and a former student at the University of New Orleans. The Higher Ed article is available at <http://www.insidehighered.com/news/2005/08/19/circuit>.

KEY TO SURVIVAL...Two Southwest Florida television stations failed to keep hearing-impaired viewers adequately informed as Hurricane Charley approached last year and each should pay a \$24,000 fine, federal regulators have announced. More about the ruling at <http://tinyurl.com/9q3nt>.

F.Y.I.

RECOGNITION OF A JOB WELL DONE...The National Organization on Disability (N.O.D.) has announced a competition that will recognize five major non-disability associations from across America that work on behalf of people with disabilities. Find out more on the NOD website at <http://tin>

THE HENRY B. BETTS AWARD...was created to annually honor an individual whose work and scope have significantly improved the quality of life for people with disabilities in the past, and whose force for change in the future. Successful nominees will have demonstrated a strong vision

understanding of how to improve the quality of life for people with disabilities; possess efforts and accomplishments that have affected a wide disability population; and have served as a powerful force for change, enhancing the opportunities for people with disabilities to participate in all aspects of society. The Award will be presented at the fifth annual AAPD Leadership Conference, 2006 in Washington, D.C. To learn more and obtain an application, please visit the AAPD website at www.aapd-dc.org.

DISABILITY MENTORING DAY - October 19, 2005... Disability Mentoring Day is a nationwide event that promotes career development for youth with disabilities. Both public and private employers are encouraged to provide one-on-one mentoring for students to learn about the preparation necessary to qualify for a range of job opportunities. The U. S. Department of Labor's Office of Disability Employment Policy is the lead agency for federal sector participation in Disability Mentoring Day. The American Association of People with Disabilities is the national coordinating body. For more information, visit www.dmd-aapd.org/.

NATIONAL DISABILITY EMPLOYMENT MONTH... Secretary of Labor Elaine L. Chao announced the official start of October's National Disability Employment Awareness Month - "Workers with Disabilities: Tomorrow's Jobs Today." The theme will be used by the private sector, federal, state and local governments, and advocacy organizations to plan events and programs that showcase the abilities and skills of job candidates who have disabilities. Find out more about the 2005 theme at <http://dol.gov/opa/media/press/odep/odep20051102.htm>.

CALLING ALL YOUTH... The Youth Advisory Committee (YAC) for the National Council on Disability is announcing the opening of a nationwide search for new members. The YAC, a 12 member advisory committee ranging in age from 16-25, is recruiting members from cross disability sectors, diverse cultures, and under represented areas of the country. The recruiting process began on August 9, 2005 and will continue through September 18. To submit an application, please send three documents: (1) a resume, (2) a letter of recommendation, and (3) a cover letter pointing out your leadership experiences and your disability oriented experiences to: YOUTH@NCD.GOV; if using postal mail, please send documents to: Youth Recruiting, National Council on Disability, 1331 F Street, Suite 850 Washington, DC 20004. For further questions please feel free to contact Isaac Huff, YAC Chair at: I_Huff@superaleja.com. Hare, YAC Vice-Chair at harer@iel.org.

PEACE OF MIND... The Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration's (SAMHSA's) Mental Health Information Center's Web site and call center offer users of mental health services, families, the general public, policymakers, providers, and the media reliable information to support mental health needs and objectives. This service is administered through SAMHSA's Mental Health Services (CMHS) division. Materials are available at <http://store.mentalhealth.org/publications/ordering.aspx> or call 1-800-789-2647 for billing information services (TDD: 866-889-2647) weekdays 8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. EST.

GOLDEN OPPORTUNITIES

READILY ACHIEVABLE BARRIER REMOVAL: What does it mean 15 years later? Numerous buildings remain inaccessible to individuals with disabilities 15 years after the passage of the ADA. The reason for existing buildings remain one of the most misunderstood provisions of the ADA. Tune in for a session to learn more about the requirements for "readily achievable barrier removal" and to a place of public accommodation. The teleconference will be on September 20 at 12:00 PM, 15 minutes in length and costs \$25 to participate. To register in the Rocky Mountain region, contact Rocky Mountain ADA & IT Center at training@mtc-inc.com. The last day to register is the Friday before the session. To view archived sessions visit the Great Lakes website at <http://www.adagreatlakes.org>. The Distance Learning Series is a collaborative project of the 10 ADA & IT Centers that include Rocky Mountain, Great Lakes, Mid-Atlantic, New England, Northeast, Great Plains, Southwest, Northwest and Pacific Region ADA & IT Centers.

UPCOMING WEBCASTS FROM INDEPENDENT LIVING RESEARCH UTILIZATION (ILRU):

Wednesday, September 7, 2005, 1:00 PM Mountain

"Recreation Access: Research to Practice"

Providing access to recreation is challenging considering the unique environments and funding of the various activities and settings. The National Center on Accessibility (NCA) presents that will highlight some of the NCA research findings on visitor expectations and access to

pools, trails, golf courses, playgrounds and other recreation areas. A lively Q & A session giving participants the opportunity to ask questions related to accessing parks and recreation facilities. More information is available at <http://www.ilru.org/index.html>.

Wednesday, September 14, 2005 , 1:00 PM Mountain

"Everything You Need to Know about Accessible Parking from Public to Private"

What is the number one complaint people with disabilities have about the built environment the heart of many lawsuits brought by private individuals and disability advocacy organization enforcement activities of the US Department of Justice? What is a common discrimination against employees with disabilities? What is the primary subject of complaints that residents of a condominium complexes most commonly make? The answer to all of the above is PARKING! This focus on solutions to accessible and compliant parking. <http://www.ilru.org/index.html>.

OPEN FOR BUSINESS...As a business owner or operator, or someone thinking about opening a business may have wondered what you have to do to comply with the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA). This web course explains how the ADA applies to businesses in ten short lessons. Putting these practices into practice will allow you to comply with the ADA and welcome a whole new group of customers to your goods, products, and services. And you may find that making your business more accessible and welcoming to people with disabilities is not as difficult as you thought. Take this free web course. <http://www.ada.gov/reachingout/introl.htm>.

WEBCOURSE: Disability Awareness HR Management Online Seminar...This online seminar covers training specific to disability awareness for Human Resource Professionals. Through this seminar you will have the opportunity to learn more about topics such as current history, myths & facts, tips for communication, tips for interviewing, and tips for accommodations all related to individuals with disabilities. Check out the course at <http://www.worksupport.com/training>

TRAINING RESOURCE NETWORK, INC...offers online training and resources on the full inclusion of individuals with disabilities in their communities. Check out the TRN website to view upcoming training. <http://www.trninc.com/index.html>.

THIS JUST IN

NEW FACT SHEETS FROM DEPARTMENT OF LABOR...

1. Effective Emergency Preparedness Planning: Addressing the Needs of Employees with Disabilities <http://www.dol.gov/odep/pubs/fact/effective.htm>.

2. Increasing Options: The Ticket to Work and Self Sufficiency Program: <http://www.dol.gov/odep/pubs/fact/options.htm>.

DISABILITY STATISTICS FROM CORNELL...For several years, researchers at Cornell University, from the National Institute on Disability Rehabilitation Research (NIDRR), have generated and distributed a large volume of national statistics on the prevalence of disability and the income, and poverty status of people with disabilities. In an effort to make this disability and related demographic information available and accessible to a broad audience via the Internet, Cornell University recently launched the DisabilityStatistics.org web site. The Disability website condenses several data sources into a single, user-friendly, accessible, Internet-based site that also provides essential background information on key issues related to disability statistics. Visit this new website at <http://www.disabilitystatistics.org/>.

FREE RESOURCE...The monograph "Innovative Methods for Providing Vocational Rehabilitation to Individuals with Psychiatric Disabilities" is available at no cost for electronic download from the George Washington University's Center for Rehabilitation Counseling Research and Training. Site: <http://www.gwu.edu/~eiri/pdf/30.pdf>.

VERY INTERESTING

EMPLOYER WORK INCENTIVE ACT INTRODUCED...On July 29 Senators Pat Roberts (R.KS.) and Edward Kennedy (D.MA), introduced S. 1570, The "Employer Work Incentive Act for Individuals with Severe Disabilities". The legislation offers eligible businesses that competitively employ people with

disabilities a procurement advantage in Federal contracts. According to the legislation, s of an "eligible business" include that the business: uses an integrated employment setting individuals with severe disabilities in not less than 25% of the full-time equivalent posi business, on average; does not employ any individual with a severe disability using sub-mi For more information: <http://roberts.senate.gov/08-03-2005.htm>.

MOM AND POP...Parents are the key to the socialization of a child with disabilities. Assis technology plays a crucial role in the socialization process by enabling children with dis be heard, to be recognized as individuals of value, to build the self-confidence necessary positively with the world at large. Parents who advocate for AT, who believe in its abilit children perform at their highest possible level, have given their children powerful tools use of the AT with the setting and maintaining of high standards for a child's achievement startling results, according to this month's featured expert, Dr. James Messina. Read the at <http://www.fctd.info/resources/newsletters/index.php>.

DISABILITY HISTORY DATELINE...The Disability History Dateline is an ever-expanding chronol encompasses all aspects of the history of disability: major events, issues, and themes, pr individuals and organizations, cultural expressions and images, laws and public policies, advocacy efforts, and more. The entries cover all historical eras and every geographical r as referring to both disability-specific and cross-disability historical occurrences. The available at <http://bss.sfsu.edu/disability/dateline.html>.

VETS COMPETE...Joseph Fox Sr. is a 55-year-old Vietnam veteran from Marietta, Calif., who wheelchair for 35 years. But when he competes in a trapshoot with Paralyzed Veterans of Am young and fit as anyone. <http://tinyurl.com/8qhx7>.

DESIGNING WOMEN...mobileWOMEN.org is an online magazine designed for women in wheelchairs. women in wheelchairs who were having difficulty finding answers to their health, fashion, questions, mobileWOMEN.org provides a dedicated link to an interactive forum specifically women allowing participants to ask questions and share information with nurses, knowledgea fields of special interest, and other disabled women. A wide range of topics are explored health & wellness sexuality & relationships, reproductive health & pregnancy, parenting, b fashion, finances & insurance. The online magazine is available at www.mobileWOMEN.org.

TECHNOBABBLE

THE LATEST NEWS & RESOURCES IN ASSISTIVE TECHNOLOGY: <http://atnet.org/journal/index.htm>.

Assistive Technology Quick Reference Series: <http://www.techconnections.org/resources/Quic>

WEB COURSE FOR EDUCATORS...What is information technology (IT)? How can it be made accessi laws that govern access to information technology? Many people involved with information t implementation find these questions confusing. The National Center on Accessible Informati in Education (AccessIT) has addressed the need for guidance by developing a free online co "Introduction to Accessible Technology in Education," that provides an introduction to acc information technology in education. The course consists of nine lessons with many interac This course is recommended for anyone who wants to learn more about accessibility issues t information technology and related law and policy issues in education. This includes teach administrators, policy makers and anyone else who is interested. Individuals interested in course can register at: <http://access-it-online.info/public/register.asp>. For more informa accessit@u.washington.edu.

508 UNIVERSE

NEW E-GUIDE FOR 508 COMPLIANCE...The General Services Administration (GSA) has developed a guide to help agencies comply with Section 508 requirements to make electronic data access federal employees and members of the public with disabilities. GSA's wizard can determine applies to an acquisition, identify which standards apply, develop wording for a procureme solicitation and document the compliance. The wizard can be found at available at www.buya

SOFTWARE: SECTION 508 COMPLIANT...SuccessFactors, Inc., the leading supplier of workforce

management software, has announced that their on-demand technology is compliant with the U Federal Rehabilitation Act "Section 508" standards for information technology. SuccessFact technology has also been applauded by nationally renowned 508 Compliance industry expert D Thatcher to have far exceeded the compliance requirements through the provision of rich fu including navigation headers and uniform access keys. This functionality ensures maximum u addition to accessibility and allows customers of SuccessFactors to expand the use of the employees with disabilities. Read more at <http://tinyurl.com/bo5zx>.

TELECOMMUNICATION PRODUCTS & 508...A new web-based training course is available on ensurin telecommunication products under section 508 of the Rehabilitation Act, which requires acc electronic and information technologies procured by the Federal government. The course, t series developed by the Board covering different aspects of its section 508 standards, is those involved in the purchase or procurement of telecommunication products for Federal ag covers all of the requirements that telecommunication products must meet, including those access for persons with hearing impairments. The course is part of the on-line program pro <http://www.section508.gov> website.

EXTRA, EXTRA...Online Extra - Online resources on accessibility and Section 508 are availa http://www.gcn.com/23_31/interview/27696-1.html.

SETTING SITES ON SECTION 508...Software tools-and a little forethought-can make sure your for every user. This guide focuses on Web development and publishing tools that let agenci accessible applications and make documents available to users with visual impairments. The chart also includes some end-user tools. Visit http://www.gcn.com/23_31/buyers_guide/27674 details.

SECTION 508 FACTS...Need to understand Section 508 and the Access Board's Standards? A Fac available to help you do just that at <http://216.218.205.189/sec508/brochure.htm>.

SECTION 508 ACQUISITION FAQS...Do the requirements of section 508 apply to acquisitions ot those for EIT? Is EIT limited to products? Should EIT be compatible with assistive technol the answers to these questions at <http://www.section508.gov/index.cfm?FuseAction=Content&I>

A WEALTH OF INFORMATION

THAT'S NEWS TO ME...If you would like to be included on a disability news listserve that i daily, contact Cristi here at the ADA & IT Center at charris@mtc-inc.com. Cristi will forw update to your email address.

ADA QUIZ BOOK...The ADA Quiz Book 3rd Edition is a great resource for increasing your know ADA. Produced by the Rocky Mountain ADA & IT Center, this updated collection of puzzles, q scenarios about the ADA, disability etiquette, and electronic and information technology i be a fun, informative introduction to the law. The eight sections of this book will test y of the ADA and other disability issues in a user-friendly format. The Quiz Book will conti offered at the introductory price of \$9.95 + \$4.00 shipping. Quantity discounts are availa information, contact us at adaquizbook@mtc-inc.com.

JUST WHAT THE DOCTOR ORDERED...The "Vital Signs" poster displays 24 signs related to healt medicine, perfect for a doctor's office or an emergency room*, or for supplementing your s vocabulary. The poster is 18" by 24" and is available free of charge in the Rocky Mountain MT, ND, SD, WY, UT) by emailing maggie@mtc-inc.com or by calling 800-949-4232 (V, TTY). Fo region requests, the poster is \$3.00. Catch a glimpse of the poster at <http://www.adainformation.org/Posters.htm>. * While this poster is helpful in aiding commun is not a substitute for providing effective communication as required by the ADA. For more on your rights or responsibilities, give us a call at 800-949-4232 (V, TTY).

ACCESS FOR SERVICE ANIMALS...The Rocky Mountain ADA & IT Center has developed an informati the subject of service animals. The two-sided poster comes in your choice of two sizes (9 12"x 20") and is appropriate for posting in any public place. To view the poster, visit <http://www.adainformation.org/Posters.htm>. The poster is free within the Rocky Mountain re ND, SD, UT, WY) and is \$3.00 outside the region. To order, contact the ADA Center at 800-9 TTY) or at posters@mtc-inc.com.

SAY IT WITH SIGN...The Rocky Mountain ADA & IT Center has developed a sign language poster over 20 basic signs, the alphabet, and numbers 1-10 for those who are interested in commun sign language. The poster is 18 X 24 "and uses two (very cute) young Deaf men from Colorad of the boys happens to be the editor's son!). The poster is available free of charge in th Mountain region (CO, MT, ND, SD, UT, WY), and is \$3.00 for out of region requests. See the <http://www.adainformation.org/Posters.htm>. To order, contact us at maggie@mtc-inc.com with address.

ONLINE LEARNING: An Online Course about the ADA... This introductory web course on the ADA legal requirements and spirit of the ADA. The course content is self-paced, organized into and is designed to be studied in order. Upon completion of the course, you may be eligible certificate and one CEU if you meet ALL established criteria. (The course is free; however continuing education credit, there is a \$50 CEU fee that must be paid.) To access the cour www.adabasics.org.

A PENNY FOR YOUR THOUGHTS

YOUR COMMENTS, PLEASE...The Election Assistance Commission (EAC) has published new guideli systems that are available for public comment for 90 days. These guidelines, once finaliz available for states to use on a voluntary basis in complying with the Help America Vote A (HAVA). This law was enacted to prevent the types of ballot controversies that arose in t presidential election of 2000 and calls for methods to improve the usability and reliabili systems used in Federal elections. The law ensures that voting systems and polling places accessible to people with disabilities and also covers ballot verification by voters, lang and provisional voting. The new guidelines contain specific provisions for accessibility, voting system usability, security, and privacy. Specifications address access to voting e all types of users, including those with vision impairments. All comments must be receive before 5:00 p.m. EDT on September 30, 2005. The draft guidelines and instructions for subm comments are posted on the Commission's website at <http://www.eac.gov>.

ACCESSIBILITY AND HEALTH CARE...Have a disability? Tired of inaccessible medical equipment hospitals? Want a role in reducing these barriers? The Rehabilitation Research and Trainin (RRTC) on Health and Wellness is asking people with disabilities to participate in a brief survey identifying barriers to routine health care. The cut-off date for participation is September. Information gathered from this survey will be used to develop a checklist which providers can use to assess their accessibility. When the survey compilation is completed, host a Web cast in which the findings will be presented. Look for an announcement about th late winter. The address for the survey is <http://www.surveymonkey.com/s.asp?u=51513108911> any questions or have trouble doing the survey on-line, contact Marilyn Berardinelli via e berardin@ohsu.edu or telephone 503.418.1485 (V); 800.949.4232 (TTY).

HAPPY CAMPERS...The National Center on Accessibility (NCA) invites Campground Operators to in a research study of campground facilities. The purpose of this survey is to identify ex policies and procedures common to accommodating people with disabilities in campgrounds an Participation in the survey will assist NCA in identifying common policies, exemplary prac issues without clear policies as well as determine the status of campground accessibility. guiding principles will be developed and equal practices accommodating and enhancing acces with disabilities at campgrounds will be identified. Not only will NCA gain much needed in regarding the current status of campgrounds, but you will also have access to the sample p created by NCA and the results of the survey. Learn more about the survey at <http://www.iidc.indiana.edu/cpps/survey/#NCA>.

PLANNING AHEAD

GET ELEVATED! The 8th Annual Colorado Community Symposium features great keynote speakers, breakout sessions and lots of networking and fun that will ELEVATE YOU! Our mountain theme you "light headed" from lots of information, and inspired to continue to make a difference of people with disabilities. September 22 & 23, 2005 at the Radisson Hotel Denver Stapleto Denver, CO. For more information, or to register visit <http://www.ctat-training.com/>.

THE 2005 JAN ANNUAL CONFERENCE... will be held on Monday, September 26 and Tuesday, September 27 at the Westin San Francisco Airport hotel. The conference includes full group sessions and three tracks addressing accommodation issues, innovative employment practices, and ADA/legal issues. The exhibit area provides the opportunity for hands-on experience with technologies and for on conversations with suppliers of goods and services. The detailed schedule, speaker list, and registration information, and much more are available on the Conference Web site: www.conference.jan.wv

TENTH ANNUAL ADA WORKSHOP: September 28 - Denver... Visit <http://www.neli.org/programs2.asp> to download a copy of the registration. Registrations and hotel room-blocks are nearing capacity quickly if you wish to attend.

EIGHTH ANNUAL ACCESSING HIGHER GROUND: Accessible Media, Web and Technology Conference for businesses, for Web & media designers, November 8 - 11, 2005. Accessing Higher Ground implements and benefits of Assistive Technology in the university and college setting for students with physical and learning disabilities. Visit the website for more information at <http://www.colorado.edu/ATconference/>.

WORTH REPEATING

Resource Directory: Links to Disability and Civil Rights Organizations...
http://www.ncd.gov/newsroom/advisory/cultural/resource_directory.htm.

ESPAÑOL

National Technical Assistance Center for Latinos with Disabilities (Centro Nacional de Asistencia Técnica para Latinos con Discapacidades - Proyecto Visión) necesita reporteros con experiencia con la cultura latina y discapacidades. Se espera que los reporteros usen una variedad de métodos para obtener información, tales como entrevistas y encuestas, asistir a reuniones, socializar y bibliotecas o centros de información locales o electrónicas. Los artículos deben ser cortos y se pueden presentar tanto en inglés como en español. Para ver ejemplos de artículos, visit www.proyectovision.net. A los reporteros se les compensará por su trabajo por cada artículo. Para presentarse, mande una hoja de vida describiéndose a usted y la experiencia que tiene con el artículo que haya escrito sobre los latinos con discapacidades y envíelo a Robin Savinar, robin@wid.org, o llame al (510) 251-4325. Se aceptarán solicitudes hasta el 31 de agosto de 2005.

Bienvenido a Youth@Work, el sitio web de la Comisión para la Igualdad de Oportunidades en EE.UU. (EEOC) para la juventud en la fuerza de trabajo. El objetivo de la EEOC es eliminar la discriminación ilegal del lugar de trabajo para todos los trabajadores.
<http://youth.eeoc.gov/es/index.html>.

Somos uno de los diez centros regionales dedicados a darle asesoría técnica a las empresas con discapacidades (DBTAC) financiados por el Instituto Nacional de Investigación en Discapacidades y Rehabilitación (NIDRR). Nos encontramos ubicados dentro del Centro de Tecnología Asistencial Ambiental (CATEA) en el Instituto de Tecnología de Georgia (GT) en Atlanta, Georgia, EE.UU.
<http://www.sedbtac.org/espanol/index.cfm>.

Algunos documentos no se han traducido debido a que la información es de naturaleza legal o estadística. En estos casos, los enlaces están marcados como "en inglés."
<http://www.eeoc.gov/es/index.html>.

ADA Documentos de Asistencia Técnica en Español http://www.usdoj.gov/crt/ada/publicat_esp.

Proyecto de Servicios Especiales de Asistencia Pública en Denver? Servicios Especiales de Asistencia Pública en Denver es un proyecto a nivel de P.E.A.K. Parent Center enfocado en el área de Denver y alrededores. Este proyecto del centro de recursos para padres en la comunidad (CPRC) fortalece a las familias por medio de la información sobre sus derechos en el proceso de educación especial y ofrece alternativas para que los padres puedan ayudar a sus escuelas a entender a sus hijos/hijas. Conecta a familias y a profesionales con los recursos en la comunidad y es un mayor medio de educación general y especial. <http://www.peakparent.org/spanish.asp>.

Misión La misión del Centro de Padres de Utah (CPU) es brindar ayuda a los padres para que puedan ayudar a sus hijos con impedimentos a vivir y ser miembros productivos y puedan integrarse.

comunidad. <http://utahparentcenter.org/espanol.html>.

La Red de Acomodaciones de Empleo (JAN) es un servicio de consulta gratis que proporciona sobre las acomodaciones de trabajo, la Ley para Personas Discapacitadas (ADA) y las posibles formas de trabajo de las personas con discapacidades. <http://janweb.icdi.wvu.edu/espanol/>.

ADA y la Información de la Incapacidad

<http://fets3.freetranslation.com/?Sequence=core&Language=English%2FSpanish&Url=http://www.d.com/ada.html>.

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To subscribe to the Rocky Mountain Access monthly newsletter, send a message to subscribe@mtc-inc.com. Indicate if you prefer the newsletter in a text format (without graphics) or in an html format.

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The Rocky Mountain ADA & IT Center also produces a hard-copy newsletter. The print newsletter contains relevant, in-depth information on the ADA, Accessible Information Technology, and other disability-related issues, with info not mentioned in the newsletter. The newsletter is available in large print, and on computer disk, and is free of charge (for subscribers in Colorado, Montana, North Dakota, South Dakota, Utah, and Wyoming.) See the latest edition of the newsletter and subscribe at www.adainformation.org, or subscribe by phone at 800-949-4232 (V, TTY).

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